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GAO Request Regarding ACDA				
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1. Executive Registry	1 JUL 1983		P	<p>Disch Agree - keep it to our intel input but not eval. of ACDA in any way</p>
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NOTE FOR: Deputy Director of Central
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FROM: Associate Deputy Director for
Intelligence

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At a fairly low level, the GAO has come to the Agency asking for contact with the DI to assist in a GAO study on ACDA. After some discussion with [redacted] I suggested that we respond to GAO indicating that we would be willing to discuss the intelligence support provided to ACDA, but we would not be willing to brief GAO on how well ACDA is doing their job. I think we can provide this minimum support but legitimately argue that it is not our business to critique how well ACDA manages its research programs or discuss any aspect of arms control policymaking or negotiations. At this state I think we can go back with this at a relatively low level through OEXA but the issue may come up again. Attached are the original request from the Congress to GAO and two documents setting forth CIA policy in dealing with GAO.

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Attachments
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